Miscellaneous A-C
1915-16

October 20th, 1915

Dear Dr. Abbott:

Many thanks for your generous subscription of ten dollars for the British Red Cross , which I am forwarding with our University amount.

Yours sincerely,

President.

Dr. A. F. Abbott,

40 Howland Ave.

March 13th, 1916

Professor F. F. Abbott,

Chairman of the Department of Classics,

Battle Road,

Princeton, N.J.

Dear Sir:

In the absence of President Falconer I beg to acknowledge with thanks your letter of the 11th regarding Professor M. S. Fox.

I have written Professor Fox that his letter will be kept on file but that on account of the war we are not making any additions to our staff, and at present there is no vacancy in Classics in University College.

Yours sincerely,

President's Secretary.

The Rectory

St James Memorial Church

Eatontown N. J.

2 February 1916.

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My Dear President:

I have received the inclosed request for a donation for objects stated therein.

I have been already contributing to objects since the beginning of the war in connection with the Belgian and other necessities – I wish I could contribute more. I have made my contributions for the year but I don't like to refuse. I therefore inclose my check for a trifle, two dollars, one dollar for the Y.M.C.A. of the University and the other dollar as subscription for one year to the University monthly which you will please hand to the proper person.

I am Rector of St James Memorial Church here. You will see my name in the list of graduates.

I shall always be glad to hear of your prosperity.

This terrible war is a great concern to us all, but the Allies will win in the end, I am sure.

Yours Very Truly

C Graham Adams

The President

February 4th, 1916

Rev. C. Graham Adams, M.A., D.D.,
St. James Memorial Church,
Eatontown, N.J.

Dear Dr. Adams:

I have been much pleased this morning to receive your letter enclosing a cheque for two dollars for two subscriptions, one of them I am forwarding to the Alumni Association and the other to the Y.M.C.A. We appreciate very much any remembrance on the part of our Alumni and the kind interest that you evince in your letter in the University.

As you realise this terrible war is putting a very heavy strain upon us. We have over eighty members of our staff at the front, and there must be probably 2000 graduates and undergradua who are now enlisted for active service or at the front. The University is very different from what it was, but we believe with you that the right cause will eventually prevail and that meantime all our efforts must be thrown into the conflict.

You may be perhaps interested in my last report of the work of the preceding year which has just been issued.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Toronto, June 15, 1916

Dr. R. A. Falconer,
69 St. George St.,
City.

Dear Dr. Falconer;-

We are writing to you in your capacity of President of the University Settlement. This Department requires all milk sold in Toronto to be kept cold continuously and this is done by all dairies and by the 1500 stores which we permit to sell bottled milk in Toronto.

At the University Settlement, 95 Peter St., no ice is provided to keep the milk cold although this milk is used in infant feeding and it is most important that it should be kept cold until used. We understand fully that this work is largely charitable and know that the financing of such work is more difficult at present than in normal times, but we feel that if this is an economy it is a false one and we are certain that having once called it to your attention you will have ice provided.

Very sincerely,

F. Adams M.D.

HL-LW.

Acting Director of Laboratories.

November 4th, 1915

Thomas Adams, Esq.,

Commissioner of Conservation, Ottawa.

Dear Mr. Adams:

I should be very glad to be present at the Conference that you propose to hold in Ottawa on November 19th, but it will be quite impossible for me to go. I have just returned from the East and I have to be in the United States that week, nor am I able to suggest any one to take my place.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

December 7th, 1915

Dr. H. W. Aikins,

Registrar, College of Physicians and Surgeons,

Toronto.

Dear Dr. Aikins:

Many thanks for your note telling me that you have arranged for a joint conference between representatives of the University of Toronto and the Executive Committee of the Medical Council for next Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. I am notifying Mr. Lash and Dr. Clarke.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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I beg to inform you that your Copyright of the Book entitled,

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

P. E. Ritchie

Registrar.

Robert A. Falconer, Esq.,
University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ont.

March 9th, 1916

Andrew Allan, Esq.,

1604 Dufferin Street,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Allan:

I am glad to hear that your son, Blake, has done so well. It is a great tribute to the Canadians that they received first, second and fourth places, and I am glad that Blake stood first with such a high percentage.

I will let Colonel Lang know about this, but why no arrangements were made for them when they arrived in England I do not understand, for General Swatkin made the choice himself and forwarded the names. I suppose it was due to the pressure of many affairs at this time.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

April 26th, 1910

George F. Allen, Esq.,

111 King Street East,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Allen:

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees yesterday it was decided that the Board could not see its way to granting the use of the Pavilion for recreation purposes. The ground has just been put into order and it would not do to have it trampled upon. Also the seats of the Pavilion are not very strong and large crowds might cause serious damage to it. They have, however, referred to the Property Committee the question of allowing the use of the front verandah for the Sunday services. Several questions were brought up at the Board on which they wish to make further inquiry and the Committee will meet on Thursday of next week after which I hope to be able to give you a definite answer. Difficulties arose in the Board that I was not aware of when I was speaking to you.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Citizens' Recruiting League of Toronto

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SECRETARY, LT.-COL. J. GALLOWAY

TORONTO, November 11 1915

President R. A. Falconer,
Toronto University,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

On Sunday afternoon, November 14th at Massey Hall, at three o'clock, the Citizens' Recruiting League invite the students of your University to meet the Australian cadets who are touring Canada, as guests of the Canadian Government. They are accompanied by their band which will render sacred music during the afternoon and addresses will be delivered by members of the visiting cadets and other gentlemen representing the Citizens' Recruiting League of Toronto. It is the desire of the League to make this meeting a great success, as we think it will be a help to recruiting, so urgently needed at this juncture. Your co-operation is earnestly requested and we will bepleased to have you if possible address the meeting and take a seat on the platform yourself. The doors will be open at 2 o'clock p.m.

Yours faithfully,

Norman Allen, M.D.

Vice President

Dictated by Dr. Allen
but signed after he
had left the office.

November 12th, 1915

Dr. Norman Allan,

Citizens' Recruiting League of Toronto,

City Hall.

Dear Sir:

I regret to be able to be present on Sunday afternoon in Massey Hall at three o'clock, when the meeting is being held to wish the Australian Cadets.

I am afraid that it would be very difficult to get the announcement before the students at present, as their last paper for the week has come out this morning, but I will put up a notice on my bulletin board.

Yours sincerely,

President.

[illegible] 20th, 1915

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President.

February 8th, 1916

Sir Herbert Ames,

Canadian Patriotic Fund,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir Herbert:

Many thanks for the clipping from the Boston "Post" giving an outline of your address to the Amherst men. I am sure that it would be of help to them at this time of crisis in the United States.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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The Association of American Colleges

Second Annual Meeting
HOTEL SHERMAN, CHICAGO
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
January 20, 21, 22, 1916

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

Robert L. Kelly, Earlham College, President.
George E. Fellows, Vice-President.
R. Watson Cooper, Upper Iowa University, Secretary-Treasurer.
Hill M. Bell, Drake University.
Henry C. King, Oberlin College.

PROGRAM.

Thursday, January 20th, 8:00 P. M.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS: *The Sphere and Possibilities of the Association*—Robert Lincoln Kelly, LL. D., President of Earlham College.

Discussion: led by Thomas McClelland, LL. D., President of Knox College.

The Proposed Campaign for Christian Education—Thomas Nicholson, LL. D., Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Chairman of Campaign Committee of Council of Church Boards.

Discussion: led by Ernest Dewitt Burton, D. D., University of Chicago.

The Appointment of Committees.

Friday, January 21st, 9:30 A. M.

COLLEGE STANDARDIZATION.

The Efficient College (continuation of a report submitted at the annual meeting in 1915)—Calvin H. French, D. D., Associate Secretary College Board of the Presbyterian Church of the United States of America.

Discussion: led by Charles Nelson Cole. PH. D., Dean of Oberlin College of Arts and Sciences.

Partial Report of the Joint Committee on the Standardization of American Colleges—Donald J. Cowling, PH. D., President Carleton College, Member of the Joint Committee, representing the Association of American Colleges.

Discussion: led by Thomas Franklin Holgate, LL. D., Dean of Northwestern University.

2:00 P. M.

BUSINESS SESSION.

SPECIAL TYPES OF COLLEGE.

The Junior College—Philander P. Claxton, PH. D., the United States Commissioner of Education.

Discussion: led by John S. Nollen, LL. D., President of Lake Forest College.

Lessons from the Municipal Universities for the American Colleges Charles W. Dabney, LL. D., The University of Cincinnati.

Discussion: led by Samuel F. Kerfoot, D. D., President of Hamline University.

8:00 P. M.

THE COLLEGE CURRICULUM

Relation of the College Course to Vocational Training—

Isaac Sharpless, LL. D., President of Haverford College.

James Rowland Angel, A. M., Dean of the Faculty of Arts. Literature and Science, The University of Chicago.

Elmer Burritt Bryan, LL. D., President of Colgate University.

Discussion: led by William A. Millis, LL. D., President of Hanover College.

Saturday, January 22nd, 9:30 A. M.

THE COLLEGE TEACHER.

Academic Freedom—Herbert Welch, LL. D., President of Ohio Wesleyan University.

Discussion: led by U. G. Weatherley, PH. D., Indiana University, Member of the Committee on Academic Freedom of the Association of American College Professors.

Tenure of Office—Henry S. Pritchett, PH. D., President Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

Discussion: led by Alexander Meikeljohn, LL. D., President of Amherst College.

The Academic Budget—Hollis Godfrey, SC. D., President of Drexel Institute.

Discussion: led by S. C. Capen, PH. D., Specialist in Higher Education of the United States Bureau of Education.

Notes on Program

(1) All papers will be open for general discussion. Time is reserved for such on every program.

(2) The Secretary of the Association of American College Professors has promised that a copy of the statement now in preparation on "Academic Freedom and Tenure of Office" of that Association will be furnished for the discussion on Saturday morning.

(3) Dr. Pritchett's acceptance is tentative, but he thinks he will be able to be present.

Special

The Secretary of the Association has just received word that the Council of Church Boards have also decided to hold their annual meeting at Hotel Sherman, beginning Wednesday evening, January 19, and that such members of the Association as are interested will be welcome at their sessions on Wednesday evening and throughout the day Thursday.

Information

"In order to be eligible to membership in this Association institutions shall require fourteen (14) units for admission to the freshman class and shall also require one hundred twenty semester hours for graduation, but the latter requirement may be waived by a two-thirds vote of the Association. Colleges which do not conform to this definition may become associate members without vote."

Colleges will be represented by their Presidents or other executive officers and such officers will have power to vote. If the President cannot attend he is asked to send the Dean or other representative.

Provision has been made for a stenographic report of the discussions.

Rates at the Sherman Hotel will be as follows: Room with bath $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00. Room with bath for two $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00. Suites of two rooms, 2 persons $5.00, $7.00, $9.00 and $10.00. Suites of two rooms, 4 persons, $7.00, $9.00, $10.00 and $12.00. Parlor, two bedrooms, two baths, $12.00 and $15.00.

November 24th, 1915

Anglo-Canadian Music Co.,

142 Victoria Street,

Toronto.

Gentlemen:

I have asked Mr. Loudon, the President of the Students' Administrative Council, to speak to you with regard to the matter of the outstanding account in connection with the University of Toronto Glee Club to which you refer.

Yours sincerely,

President.

Parry Sound, Ont.

Sept. 7th 1915.

R. A. Falconer Esq., M.A.,L.L.D.,D.Litt.,C.M.G.
President of the University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sir,

I have completed the University Junior Matriculation Examination and desire to study Arts and Medicine together. Is this by any means possible with this standing,at Toronto University? I ask you since I have received no answer to a letter written Mr. Brebner, in the Spring, and do not care to bother him again.

Would you advise me to take the Arts Course as well as the Medical Course or do you think it is of much use to one going into Medicine?

Time is getting short and I would like to go to 'Varsity if it is possible. By giving this your earliest attention you will greatly oblige me.

Yours very truly,

September 9th, 1915

Mr. C. S. Appelbe,

Parry Sound, Ont.

Dear Mr. Appelbe:

I spoke yesterday to Mr. Brebner about your application. He tells me that the first letter must have gone astray, but that he wrote to you recently.

The regulations that we have in force in the University for honour courses are such that I am sorry you will not be able to qualify for the curriculum and earliest opportunity on pass Junior Matriculation examination. All our honour courses require certain honour subjects and we look upon this combined course as an honour course. If you are anxious to enter the University at once it seems to me that it would be well for you to enter upon the medical course, that is to say unless you are able to spend several years in Arts work first. Complete Junior Matriculation including Latin gives you entrance at once into the Faculty of Medicine.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

Reprinted from the "Morning Post" of March 6th, 1916.

THE APPLICATION OF SCIENCE TO INDUSTRY.

To the Editor of the "Morning Post."

Sir,—The Prime Minister of Australia, Mr. Hughes, has recently addressed himself to this problem. He convened a meeting of representatives of Universities and other public bodies, which submitted to his Cabinet proposals for the establishment of a National Laboratory and for the co-ordination of research activities, together with an extension of education in science. So far as I am aware, this is the first occasion on which a Government in the British Empire has formally attacked the problem of placing industry on a scientific basis; it is consequently an occasion of great importance, not only to Australia but to the Empire, and I venture, in the following letter, to discuss the proposals and to indicate the principles which I believe to be essential to complete success.

The steps proposed to be taken in Australia to effect the reorganisation of the nation are eminently desirable so far as they go, but they represent but a small and not the most important part of the work. Unless supplemented by a far more comprehensive and deep-seated movement these efforts will remain an exotic, detached to an extent, like the Universities, from the common life of the people. What is really required is not only the solution of certain definite problems or the production of a few eminent men, desirable as those ends may be: it is the conversion of the mass of the people to a scientific habit of thought, and the consequent production of a respect for and appreciation of knowledge. It is in this regard that Germany differs profoundly from most other countries, and it is for us to inquire how this desirable result has been achieved.

When an attempt is made to examine the difference between Germany and Britain as presented in practical form the matter resolves itself into one simple and definite problem. In the greater part of Germany all adolescents between the ages of fourteen and eighteen in the case of males, and fourteen and sixteen in the case of females, receive a compulsory trade education *in the daytime,* which absorbs eight hours a week in the case of men and six hours a week in the case of women. This education provides not only efficient training in a particular trade but a knowledge of the scientific basis of that trade and the manner in which it is connected with the social organisation in general. It further comprises the inculcation of the morality of citizenship; each student is reminded that the efficient and thorough discharge of his day's work is not only of service to himself but represents an act of patriotism on his part, the principle, be it remembered, adopted by Dr. Booker Washington. It is from this source that Germany has mainly derived her greatness, and we can well afford to adopt this method while we completely ignore her political system and her national immorality. No application of science to industry will really succeed in producing great results until the mass of the people are educated by some such method. It is usually only from a broad plateau that a lofty peak ascends, and the number of leaders who are capable of effecting great national results will depend on the quantity of efficient human material which they are allowed to handle. It is to be hoped that the proposals of Mr. Hughes for applying science to industry will succeed, and that every support will be given to them, but I also hope that Englishmen will clearly recognise the fact that success of the first order cannot be obtained unless it is supplemented by a system of national and broad scientific education. Even so great a change would not be difficult to bring about, and it would not be very expensive. I can see no reason why the inhabitants of the Empire during the war should not follow the direction given to his subjects by the Emperor of Japan during the war of 1904 and prepare for peace by adopting advanced educational methods in the midst of the struggle. The manner in which Japan has recovered from absolute exhaustion illustrates the wise prevision of her Imperial leader.

There is yet another and even greater aspect of the problem which requires consideration. How can we hope to manage sensibly the greatest and most complicated Empire the world has ever seen unless each individual citizen is trained to a maximum of efficiency? The spectacle of the results of German thoroughness is being closely watched by many other nations, and if we are to hold our own we must be prepared to take part after the war in a peaceful industrial struggle of great intensity between peoples who have learnt the lesson. There is no short-cut to success, and laboratories and committees alone will not achieve it, but the adoption of a great national ideal, viz., the highest possible development of each unit, may render laboratories and committees of great service as integral parts of a peaceful evolution. As the Governor-General of Australia put it, we want each citizen to be able and willing, Atlas-like, to shoulder his or her share of the burden of Empire.—Yours, &c.,

JAMES W. BARRETT,
Member of the Council of Management of the University of Melbourne.

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R. A. Falconer, Esq., C.M.G.,
President, University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sir:

We have the kind invitation of yourself and Mrs. Falconer for Tuesday, the 28th, addressed to Mr. Armour, and regret exceedingly that owing to Mr. Armour having been attached to the 74th Battalion, C.E.F. and being now at Niagara Camp, he will be unable to attend on that date.

Yours truly,

Edmund Bristol

CGP

October 4th, 1915

R. E. Armstrong, Esq.,

Secretary, Recruiting Committee,

St. John, N.B.

Dear Mr. Armstrong:

I am making November the first a fixture for my address at the meeting for recruiting in St. John.

Yours sincerely,

President.

November 6th, 1919

Frank Ancelli, Esq.,

City Clerk,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Ancelli:

I am asking the members of the Committee of the Board of Governors' to meet upon Tuesday in the Council Chamber on Tuesday, November 11th, at 2:30 p.m. I expect that you will notify the members of your Committee.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Toronto, Ontario

Dear Mr. Falconer:

It is my pleasure to send you the enclosed check, covering royalty payments due on 1915 sales, as noted on the memorandum herewith. This memorandum is for your files, and no receipt or acknowledgment will be necessary, beyond your endorsement on the check.

With best wishes,

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DERRYHEEN RECTORY,
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11th March 1916.

Dear Sir

My Nephew Nicholson Fancy has been in the Medical School in your University for some time and I understand is about to enter his final year I am very much interested in him

and persuaded him to
continue his Studies until
he is fully qualified and
I also promised to pay
his fees for this year.
Will you kindly tell me
what there will amount
to and the dates on
which they are payable.
I will be very much
obliged if you take an
interest in the boy as I

[illegible] Sept, 1919

Rev. E. S. Atkinson,

Derryheen Rectory,

Cavan, Ireland.

My dear Sir:

Your nephew, Mr. Nicholson Furey, has returned from the front and is now a fourth year student. The fees that are now due are £150.00 with a penalty of £1.00 a month until they are paid.

I will have much pleasure in asking your nephew to come to see me. Unfortunately I am so much absorbed in the business affairs of the University that I see much less of the students than I should like to, but I will make a point of getting to know Mr. Furey.

I shall be always glad to hear from you in connection with him on any point about which you may wish to write to me.

Yours sincerely,

President.

April 1st, 1916

J. E. Atkinson, Esq.,

"The Star",

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Atkinson:

Allow me to thank you for your kindness in sending me copies of your last night's presentation of "Private Secretary". It was very good of you to remember me, but I had an engagement for that evening which it was necessary for me to keep, consequently I was unable to be present.

Also thank Mrs. Atkinson, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

May 27th, 1916

Mrs. Allen,

Hooper Center, Colorado.

Dear Mrs. Allen:

I shall be glad to lay your letter of thanks on behalf of the Daughters of the Empire before the Board of Governors at the next meeting. I know that they were glad to render you this service.

Yours sincerely,

President.

40 Concord Ave.,
Toronto, March 19th, 1916.

President Falconer,
Dear Sir:-

I am anticipating taking out a commission in the C.A.S.C. or the artillery, being now with the 45th Battery C.F.A., C.E.F.; and as a recommendation would be helpful to me; I would ask you if you would please favor me with one. 1915-1916, I was a student of the School of Science and passed all my exams with honours.

Yours Respectfully,
(Gunner) J. Cecil Aykroyd

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

TORONTO, CANADA March 21st, 1916

Memo for Miss Patterson --

G. C. Aykroyd passed his first year in Civil Engineering with Honours in 1915 and did not return to take up the work of the second year.

Nothing against him.

A. T. Laing
(F.M.)

Secretary

March 24th, 1910

Tunner T. Cecil Aykroyd,

40 Concord Avenue,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Aykroyd:

I am sending you the enclosed certificate which I hope will test your roads.

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 31th, 1916

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Mr. C. Cecil Aykroyd, who is now a gunner in the 4th Battery, C.F.A., C.E.F., is anxious to take out a Commission in the C.A.S.C. or the Artillery and has asked me to give him a recommendation that might be helpful to him in securing a Commission.

I have pleasure in saying that Mr. Aykroyd passed his first year in Civil Engineering in the University of Toronto with honours in 1915 and has not yet returned to take up the work of the second year. From everything that we know of Mr. Aykroyd in the University I feel confident that as far as our university recommendation can be of service to him we are justified in recommending him for a Commission.

President of the
University of Toronto.

November 4th, 1915

Hon. Sir Allen Aylesworth, K.C.M.G.,

Toronto.

Dear Sir Allen:

I have your letter supporting the application of Mr. Duncan McPherson for the position of Professor of Civil Engineering in the University of Toronto. I should be glad to consider Mr. McPherson's application, and your support of him would be greatly in his favour, but we have no vacancy in that department, nor have I heard of any likelihood of there being a vacancy. I have been absent for the last few days, but I could not hear of any of our professors were on the point of resigning. Possibly you is thinking of the vacancy created by the death of Dean Galbraith, but this is a Deanship. We math created no preferential vacancy, but meeting Dr. Ellis is here. I think that Mr. McPherson must have been misinformed.

Yours sincerely,

President.

REVIEW COPY, with the compliments of the President of the University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada.

Please cause marked copy of the publication in which the notice appears to be sent to the President.

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Bay Inn, Idaho

Rev. Frederick [illegible],

[illegible] Street,

[illegible], [illegible].

My dear Father:

I have just received your letter and I am sorry to have to decline a request from such [illegible], and in addition to many [illegible] [illegible] I am [illegible] at [illegible]. However, [illegible] [illegible], and I [illegible] to be more [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] at the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. In any case I will be [illegible] [illegible] though I [illegible] hear in [illegible].

[illegible],

[illegible].

April [illegible], 1918

Lieutenant G. B. Balfour,

[illegible].

Dear Mr. Balfour:

This morning my Military Committee met and w[illegible] over the whole situation. As Colonel Lane told you yesterday his opinion is that Lieutenant Wright ought to be given a [illegible]. In [illegible] the younger [illegible] [illegible] many [illegible] of [illegible] the staff. [illegible] military qualifications, has practically the same standing a [illegible] in Artillery and has had other outside experience which is valuable. The opinion of my Committee is that you should apply [illegible] position in some other Battery.

[illegible],

President.

August 30th, 1915

C. W. Farbeau, Esq.,

Geological Survey,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by President Falconer to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th inst. enclosing a communication from Dr. Ross. At present we have no vacancy in our Department of Palaeontology, and the letter will be placed on file in case a vacancy should arise.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

October 6th, 1915

H. P. Barff, Esq.,

Registrar, University of Sydney.

Dear Mr. Barff:

Our Registrar has had copies of the conditions of appointment to your chair of Organic Chemistry printed and distributed to the various Universities in the Dominion. He has also inserted a notice in "The New York Nation" and "Science", which are the two leading organs in our judgment that would be read by likely candidates. I am sending a copy of the conditions to the head of the Chemical Department in Columbia University and to the Provost of the University of Pennsylvania, both of whom I know personally. I will also send copies to one or two other leading chemists in the United States. I hope that in this way we may get your appointment before the leading people of the United States, who might be supposed to know likely candidates.

It is a great pleasure to us to be able to do anything for you, and if at any time in the future we can render any service be sure to avail yourself of our offices.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

February 22nd, 1916

Mrs. Parker,

Brindale, Ont.

Dear Mrs. Parker:

I do not remember the words to which you refer. If you could give me some idea as to how long before the outbreak of war the address was delivered from which you quote I will try to hunt it up for you, but I am altogether at sea. I am afraid that a good many of the things that I say are uttered on the spur of the moment and they soon are forgotten. I regret that I am unable to help you.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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ROWELL, REID, WOOD & WRIGHT,
No. 46 KING ST. WEST,

TORONTO. Dec. 24th 1915.

President Falconer,
69 St. George St.
Toronto.

Dear Sir;-

I wish you and those dear to you the season's greetings.

I understand that two men have left the history department for active service. Have their places been filled yet? If not I would like to know how much chance there would be for me to get on the staff as a lecturer in that department, especially in Canadian Constitutional History? I graduated in 1911 winning The Robertson Prize for Canadian Const. History in that year. I have since graduated from Osgoode Hall and at present am with M. W

Rowell's firm. I refer you to
N. W Rowell and Hon McKenzie
King. I have not yet studied for
my M. A but if I could get such
a position as a lecturer I would
carry on an investigation along
any lines suggested by the
Department I can call at your
office at any time Our telephone
is M 3726. I would be pleased to
hear from you in this matter.

I remain
Yours very truly
G. G. Beckett.

[illegible] 2nd, 1912

G. [illegible], Esq.,

[illegible],

Toronto.

Dear Sir, [illegible]:

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President.

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[illegible]

Dear [illegible]:

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[illegible]

President.

[illegible], 24th, 1914

William M. Tiers, Esq.,

Montreal.

My Dear Mr. Tiers:

[illegible]

[illegible]

Yours sincerely,

Lambton.

May 16th, 1910

E. M. Black, Esq.,

Court House, Calgary.

Dear Mr. Black:

I have been giving a good deal of consideration to your request in your letter with regard to securing some person who could be asked upon to give a series of lectures dealing with the financial situation of Canada. I have to-day had a few words with Mr. [illegible] the place of Professor [illegible] who returned to England last October. The name of Mr. [illegible] Fullerton. He is a man of very distinguished academic career in England, and I have heard great and favourable accounts of his lectures and writings on economic subjects. He is very thorough and a [illegible] lecturer, and I believe that he has recently come to this country [illegible] would [illegible] situation well from political influences or prejudices. I think that Professor [illegible] would suit your purpose admirably, and I hope. If, however, this purpose having [illegible] of Professor [illegible] you could correspond with Professor Macive, outlining to him the kind of work you would expect him to undertake. You might address the letter either to me or to him at the University.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Calgary, May 4, 1916.

Rev. Dr. Falconer,

President, University of Toronto,

Toronto, Ont.

My Dear Dr. Falconer:-

Being somewhat exercised over the financial condition of our Country and the uncertainty of the economic outlook, some of the members of our Board of Trade thought that it would be in the interests of business men of the West, to have a series of addresses delivered during the University vacation, by a first class lecturer on Economics, who would deal with the situation as it exists, and apart from political influences and exigencies.

We thought of Professor Skelton of Queens, in this connection, as his name is familiar to most of us, but find that his time will not permit of his undertaking the work. Does the name occur to you of some other gentleman who would be able to carry out the work acceptably, and with a reasonable degree of enthusiasm on his own part?

The matter is only one of suggestion at present, of course, and a good many considerations will have to be taken into account. The co-operation of other Boards of Trade in the West will have to be sought, but if we had a suitable gentleman in view, little difficulty would, I am convinced, be experienced in adjusting such matters.

Thanking you in anticipation for any trouble taken in this matter, and with kind personal remembrances, I remain,

Very truly yours,

FMB/EP.

PRESIDENT.

December 6th, 1915

Mrs. Blackwell,

San Jarvis Street.

Toronto.

Dear Mrs. Blackwell:

[illegible] from [illegible] therefore [illegible] regarding your letter before this. I am sorry that I cannot promise to speak in the Convention Hall on Tuesday, December 7th. That is a very busy week for me, and in any case I am afraid that I cannot lose one afternoon before the ten hour.

Yours sincerely,

Omegiagen.

March 6th, 1916

Mr. Alex Blyth,

677 St. Clair Avenue West,

Toronto.

Dear Sir:

I am sending your letter of application for enlistment in the battery of artillery to Colonel Lane, who with his staff will have to pass on all such applications.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
OTTAWA, CANADA

PUBLIC CORRESPONDENCE TABLE

169 Carling Ave
Ottawa. Oct. 18/15

Mr R. A. Falconer,

Sir:-

I noticed in the Toronto papers that an Officers' training Corps has been organised in connection with Toronto University.

Being a graduate of McMaster University in 1914, and a great friend of your University, I am very desirous of taking Officers' training with university men.

Consequently, Mr Falconer, I should like to gain definite

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
OTTAWA, CANADA

PUBLIC CORRESPONDENCE TABLE

information re- the method you have adopted to place candidates for the ranks..

I might add that I am making the inquiry on behalf of fellow-graduates in Ottawa

Thanking you in advance,

I remain,

Yours very truly

Arthur H. Bogue (B.A.)

October 14th, 1915

Arthur R. Hogue, Esq.,

109 Carlisle Avenue,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Hogue:

I regret that the conditions laid down for the C.O.T.C. are such that we are not allowed to have a subsidiary company established outside the city of Toronto, except in the case of the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph, which is an affiliated institution. They would not permit us to raise a unit for University men in Ottawa I am afraid. We have a unit for University men in Toronto, but they are under our local control. The Commanding Officer assures me that he would be very glad to do anything in his power for our graduates, but we have to live under the regulations laid down for all the militia department. I assume that the readiest method for you would be to secure one of the militia officers commissioned in Ottawa unit.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

June 3rd, 1916

Mr. [illegible],

Knox College.

Dear Sir, [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Yours sincerely,

President.

April 8th, 1916

Major J. H. G. Boulton,

City Club,

Halifax, N.S.

Dear Major Boulton:

I have just received your letter of April 5th. Our organization for the University Battery is about completed. While I have not yet sent to Ottawa the nomination for our Commanding Officer the recommendation has been made by our Military Committee, and it will be acted upon within the next few days. There will therefore be no vacancy which I could hold out as offering you an opening. I think, however, that there are other Batteries being formed and doubtless you would find a place in one of these.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

June 13th, 1916

F. Rowey, Esq.,

Brucefield, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I wish to thank you for your kindness in sending an Auto Quilt for No. 4 Canadian Hospital (University of Toronto) which is stationed at Saloniki, Greece. I shall be glad to have it forwarded through our University Hospital Supply Association, on whose behalf I wish to express thanks, to the Ladies Red Cross Society of Brucefield.

Yours very sincerely,

President.

December 17th, 1913

Messrs. A. H. Rowin and Company,

[illegible],

Halifax.

Gentlemen:

[illegible] I must say I was somewhat taken aback when I read of my life that was sent to for insertion in Mr. Allison's reminiscence history of Nova Scotia. As I have read it over I have felt that it is written in a tone of appreciation far beyond my merits and that I really not authorize so many flattering remarks to be made about my work which I know are unjustified. I have therefore eliminated a good deal and especially references to slight contributions and was of rather that are of no real value in connection with our work. If you are working closer in and mine see to do so I should be delighted to incorporate as possible. Mr. Allison is an old friend of mine and probably he has given information to your author which is somewhat flattering.

I regret that owing to the many demands that are made upon me at present that it is impossible for me to subscribe to the History.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

THE CANADIAN COURIER

EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT

Toronto,

January 26th, 1916.

Rev. Dr. R. A. Falconer,
President, University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Dr. Falconer,

Much has been said in the public press about what colleges have done for the war. We believe there is no college of any importance in Canada which has not done something to help the cause. The Canadian Courier, however, would like to convey in an illustrated way to its readers also what war has done for Canadian colleges. To this end, could you furnish us with a statement of:

Students of your college under arms or in training; 768 + 6076.

Members of faculty of your college under arms or in training; 81 + 6076.

Number of officers abroad from present class lists;

Approximate number of men under arms from past class lists;

Number of officers and men killed; 30

Effect of class depletion upon any particular department;

Way or man in which any body of men or any particular member of faculty may be serving the cause---especially any scientific service no matter how practical;

Changes in college life or programme due to the war;

Activities in college caused by the war;

What the college at home may be doing for the man at the front in return for what the college man at the front is doing for the country.

This is a somewhat mechanical outline which may be filled in variously by various colleges. We should be obliged for a statement of the case as it affects your college ,and photographs---including snapshots if possible---of yourself, a view of the college and whatever other personal and action photographs can be secured. We intend to make an illustrated feature of this in the Courier and should be glad of your cooperation at as early a date as possible to suit your convenience.

Very truly yours,

Augustus Bridle

Associate Editor.

No 4 General Hospital
25 & 26 Batteries C.F.A.
43 & 70 Howitzer "
Divisional Signal Corps. Ottawa
Anthrax Lab.
Professors in School of Infantry Headquarters
Dr. Abbott.

January 31st, 1916

Augustus Bridle, Esq.,

"Canadian Courier",

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Bridle:

I am sending you a copy of my report for the year ending June 30th, 1915, and on pages 8 - 11 you will find an outline of what was done by the University for the war.

At present we have on active service

Staff	82	(57 counted as graduates)
Graduates	1003	
Undergraduates	770	
Y.M.C.A. workers	12	
Total	1816	
Casualties	31	

Since these figures were compiled there has been an increasing number of students enlisting.

Several of the Departments, notably Pathology and History, have been so depleted that in the one case a number of additional appointments have had to be made, and in the other in addition to the extra burden on those who have remained a re-arrangement of the work has become necessary.

Several have also gone from the administrative offices thereby causing a new burden to the staffs of these offices.

There are at least four of our departments conducting scientific work in connection with the war. I draw attention to what

is said in my Report with regard to the manufacture of antitetanus toxin in the Hygiene Laboratory.

The University has also been of great service in connection with the conducting of the Provisional School of Infantry for the Second Division. Colonel W. B. Lang (our Professor of Chemistry) has under him a number of our staff,-Major LePan, Captain Kenrick and Captain Wadill, who are engaged in giving instruction to officers. The School of Musketry of the Headquarters staff is under the direction of Major Massey and Lieut. Cochrane, both of our staff.

Lieut. Cochrane was loaned to the Employment Commission for Returned Soldiers at the request of the Government during the first term of the academic year and did valuable work in organising it.

Also, Dr. Abbott has been allowed leave this year to undertake the work connected with the recruiting which is carried on by the Speakers' Patriotic League.

Considerable sums of money have been raised by the University. In addition to amounts for the Patriotic Fund and Belgian Relief in the preceding year, during the present year there have been raised for Trafalgar Day Red Cross over $4000 from the staff and $3300 from the students; for the present Patriotic campaign which is just completed the staff of the University and its colleges contributed $12,000, $750 from university members of the 50,000 club, from the women students $1000, and the University Schools $200. Also a Belgian Professor and his wife are the guests of the staff of the University during the period of the war.

The women students of the University also have been working

at Red Cross work and the men students are instituting funds for Belgian and Servian Relief.

Among the leading activities of the University has been the work of the University Hospital Supply Association, which has been conducted by ladies whose husbands are on the staff of the University and their friends. For a year they have now been busy and have equipped the No.4 Canadian General Hospital (University of Toronto) and have prepared large quantities of surgical supplies. In addition they have given handsome contributions of material to the General Red Cross Society.

A student society endeavours to keep our graduates and undergraduates who are at the front supplied with newspapers and magazines among which "Varsity" goes regularly.

Yours sincerely,

President.

May 27th, 1916

Mr. J. F. Reidy,

112 W. Bloomington,

Iowa City.

My Dear Sir:

We have no vacancy in the Department of Political Science in the University of Toronto.

Yours sincerely,

President.

November 4th, 1919

Dr. H. L. Britton,

812-20 Traders Bank Building,

Toronto.

Dear Dr. Britton:

At present the University has so many departments which it has to conduct on a very small financial foundation that I feel confident that the Governors would not be willing to undertake anything new. I shall be glad, however, to see you at any time if you would like to talk over any projects which you have even though I can hold out no hope of there being carried into effect in the near future.

Yours sincerely,

President.

February 22nd, 1916

Dr. H. L. Brittain,

c18-20 Traders Bank Building,

Toronto.

Dear Dr. Brittain:

Many thanks for your letter enclosing a copy of a publication of the University of Washington containing a statement as to their Bureau of Municipal Research. It seems to be very complete and I shall keep it beside me.

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 10th, 1916

A. H. Brown, Esq.,

Allen Craig, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I have received your letter asking me to bring forward the name of Mr. J. E. Griesdale for the honorary degree of LL.D. I will make inquiries and lay your suggestion together with any report that I may have to make upon it before the committee.

Yours sincerely,

President.

T. W. No. 1

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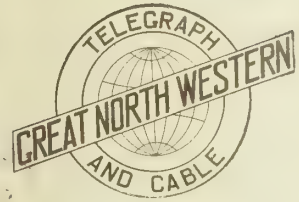

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Halifax N.S Oct 20th 15

Dr R.A. Falconer , University of Toronto .

Understand you will be in Halifax sunday thirty first instant Halifax Recruiting association would greatly appreciate if you could give twenty minute address at meeting to be held in Academy of Music after close of Church services in evening please wire reply .

A.J. Burchell ,
Secretary .

June 20th, 1916

Lawrence Burpee, Esq.,

Secretary, Royal Society of Canada,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:

I have asked that a copy of my last book entitled "The German Tragedy and Its Meaning for Canada" should be sent to the Librarian of the Royal Society.

My other articles are most of them in large Encyclopaedias dealing with technical subjects and I have not reprints of any of them. There have also been a few fugitive magazine articles of which I might find copies if they were any service to you. Several of them have been published this year. I fancy, however, that what you want is bound volumes. I will keep your request in mind, and if I publish anything in the future I will be glad to send you a copy.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Brantford Collegiate Institute

A. W. BURT, B. A., PRINCIPAL

J. BUSKARD, SECY. TREAS.

Brantford, Aug. 10th 1915.

Dear Dr. Falconer.

I was speaking a few days ago to Dr. Pakenham concerning his views in connection to the position vacated by the resignation of Dr. Stevenson. Dr. Pakenham was kind enough to say that there is no doubt of my fitness for the work; but that the purpose or hope that I expressed of retiring if he goes well, in less than fifteen years, might give rise to objections based upon the conditions of your pension scheme. As for various reasons, I am desirous of gaining employment in Toronto, if one opening, if I should be appointed and should spend less than fifteen years in the service of the University, to forego any claim I might have to a pension.

Yours truly

A. W. Burt

Dr. Falconer
Univ. Coll.
Toronto.

November 22nd, 1915

Dean Otis W. Caldwell,

University of Chicago.

Dear Dean Caldwell:

Many thanks for your letter enclosing a statement of the work of University College, Chicago. I shall have much pleasure in reading the pamphlet almost immediately.

It was a pleasure to have the chance of meeting you at Cincinnati last week.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COMPTROLLER

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
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H. B. FOSTER, ENGINEER

Berkeley, April 17, 1914.

Dear President Falconer:

We are sending you under separate cover a copy of the President's Report for the year 1914-15 which contains the financial statement for the year. This statement is drawn for the popular use and many details are omitted that appear in our annual auditors' statement. If you desire information that does not appear in our statement we shall be very glad to send you further details.

Very sincerely,

Ralph P. Merritt

President Robt. W. Falconer,
University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ontario.

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April 24th, 1916

Mr. Ralph P. Merritt,

Comptroller,

University of California,

Berkeley, Cal.

My dear Sir:

I am directed by President Falconer to thank you for your courtesy in sending him a copy of the President's Report of the year 1914-15. The Report arrived safely this morning.

Yours sincerely,

President's Secretary.

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306 Hennepin Court
1805 Hennepin Ave
Minneapolis
Minn.

Mr. Falconer —

Dear Sir:

I understand that the Toronto University have control of a Base Hospital over seas and I desire to be considered as an applicant — if any additional nurses are wanted.

I am Canadian born my home was South of

February 7th, 1916

Miss Frances M. Cameron,

306 Henniper Court,

1915 Henniper Avenue, Minneapolis.

Dear Miss Cameron:

The University of Toronto has a Base Hospital at Salonika, but I have not yet had any information that it would be necessary to add to the nursing staff in the Hospital.

You speak of knowing Hon. T. B. Lucas. If so, you might write to him for a position as the Ontario Government is establishing a Hospital in England.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

May 10th, 1916

A. H. Campbell, Esq.,

4 Wellington Street East,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Campbell:

I am sending you the Ontario Government cheque for five thousand dollars for the Canadian Serbian Relief Committee. I have thanked Mr. McCarry and told him that this would be forwarded at once to the British Committee.

Yours sincerely,

President.

King's College
Aberdeen
27 Sept. 1915

Dear Sir,

I have heard from Sir Sidney Lee that a professorship of English Language is at present vacant in the University of Toronto.

I beg to offer myself as a candidate for the post

I hope to send my application & testimonials by the next mail.

I am
Yours faithfully
J. E. A. Campbell
Lecturer in English Language
in the University of Aberdeen

The President
University of Toronto.

October 14th, 1915

W. L. L. Tindall, Esq.,

Bisbee, Arizona,

Dear Sir:

I have received your application for the summer position in the Department of Anglish, but I am forced to inform Southwestern Teachers Agency, that here at our department. There are one or two other applications ahead of yours which are considered and I am not sure when an appointment will be made.

Very sincerely,

President.

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December 7th, 1915

J. J. Campbell, Esq.,

Box 225,

[illegible]er, Ont.

Dear Mr. Campbell:

I am [illegible] your letter to Colonel [illegible] the [illegible] of all [illegible] and [illegible] the recommendations [illegible] for the Immigration [illegible]. I hope that [illegible] [illegible] Labor Island.

Yours sincerely,

[illegible].

January 19th, 1916.

Wilfred Campbell Esq., LL. D.,
Kilmorie House
City View Post Office
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Mr Campbell:

It was very good of you to send me your Lyrics of Iron and Mist. The words are a happy combination. I have read the poems with much pleasure. I hope that the determination expressed in your first poem, "Our Dead" will find full result before the close of the present year. It is a terrible experience that we are going through, but we must hope that good will result.

With kind regards, I am

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 10th, 1916

The Manager,

Canadian Bank of Commerce,

College and Yonge Streets,

Toronto.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing a cheque for my salary for the month of March, credit on the 15th. Will you kind, please credit my account as on file.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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STONE & COX
6-8-10 JOHNSON STREET
TORONTO

CANADIAN INSURANCE

EDITORIAL OFFICE
TEL. 3553 ADELAIDE

Toronto, August 30th, 1915.

President Falconer,
Toronto University,
Toronto.

Dear Sir:-

We are completing our arrangements for issuing the "Convention Number" of "Canadian Insurance and Office & Field" and would consider it a favor if you could furnish us with an advance copy of the address you purpose giving at same.

Thanking you in anticipation, we are,

Yours very truly,

STONE & COX

Chas H Morrow

September 3rd, 1915

Messrs. Stone and Cox,

6-10 Johnson Street,

Toronto.

Gentlemen:

I am directed by President Falconer to acknowledge the receipt of your letter and to say that he has not yet determined upon the theme for his address to the Life Underwriters Convention but is therefore unable to comply with your request for an advance copy of the address.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

PATRON
Field Marshal, His Royal Highness,
The Governor-General.

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Toronto

Office of the Secretary,
233 Borden St.

TORONTO, Sept. 9th. 1915

RESOLVED:

That this Association has noted with satisfaction the efforts of the University of Toronto through its Department of Hygiene under the direction of Dr. J. G. Fitzgerald to meet the pressing needs of the practitioners of Medicine of the Dominion in their fight against contagious and preventible diseases by supplying serums and anti-toxins at a much lower cost than has heretofore been done and this Association would desire to call the attention of its members to the valuable aid there offered in Public Health work and Military Hygiene.

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March 16th, 1910

Professor F. Cadd,

Department of Classics,

Princeton University.

Dear Sir:

In the absence of President Wilcoxen I was to acknowledge the receipt of your letter in connection of Professor [illegible] Fox. I have already written Professor Fox that at present there is no vacancy in University College and that on account of the [illegible] are not willing for additions to our staff, but that his application would be placed on file in case a vacancy should arise.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

July 8th, 1915

W. T. C. Carnie, Esq.,

50th Battalion,

Niagara Camp.

Dear Mr. Carnie:

In the absence of the President I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter. The President will not attend another meeting of the Board until September, but your letter was read at the last meeting and the President will attend to this one when he returns.

Yours sincerely,

President's Secretary.

Secretary Carr, Esq.

Dear Mr. Carr:

I have to-day received a letter from Miss Dorothy Branson, Redfields, Church Crookham, Hants. England, asking me to inform the parents of Lieutenant Lewine Carr that your son is very well and is in Egypt at present, but has received no letters from home for four or five months. As possibly his letters to you have miscarried also Miss Branson asks me to send you his address:

Lieutenant Carr, R.F.A.C.,

[illegible] Casualty Clearing Station,

Mediterranean Expeditionary Force,

Care G.P.O. London, England.

In this we see that you should put nothing else than the above address on the letter.

If the letters do not arrive she suggests that they might be forwarded through her address, as she met him when he was at Fredericton Camp, where he was [illegible] popular. She also says that he has been doing excellent work in the Dardanelles.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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April [illegible], 1[illegible]

[illegible] Cassell, Esq.,

Public Library, [illegible] and College Street,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Cassell:

[illegible] for the [illegible] year [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible]

[illegible]

Yours faithfully,

[illegible]

February 15th, 1916

Rt. Rev. Mgr. Cavendish,

British Base Army Post Office, M.E.F.,

Salonika.

Dear Sir:

It was very good of you to write me your impressions of the work that has been done by our Base Hospital at Salonica. I appreciate your kind judgment very much, and it will be of service to us here in maintaining the interest of our people in what we always believed was a good Hospital.

The excerpts from the letters have been extremely suggestive and of course have reinforced your own judgment.

I heard from General Roberts not very long ago and he wrote to me of the pleasant intercourse that he had with you at Salonica. That you as a stranger but with such wide experience should be able to speak in unreserved terms as to the efficiency and unity and helpfulness of our Hospital staff is a tribute of no ordinary importance.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

December 30th, 1915

Professor Charles Cestre,

Université de Bordeaux,

France.

Dear Professor Cestre:

You may perhaps remember that we met and had pleasant conversation at Groningen in June 1914 so shortly before this terrible war of which we then had no suspicion. We are now allies in a more intimate way than we then dreamed of and many of our staff and students have been for months fighting in France. Just this morning I said good-bye to between 30 and 40 young students who are going to take commissions as officers. The spirit in which France has acted throughout this war has won the highest admiration of everybody, and it must be a sure token of success. I hope that the victory will come before another year is out.

Meantime, I wish to write to you about a matter that may come up in the next few months. A year ago our head professor of French told me that he was thinking of resigning his chair, and though he has not mentioned the matter to me since there is quite a possibility that I might be presented with his resignation before very long. Having this in mind naturally I wish to get information as to possible men to fill a chair in French. I am not at all sure that the man whom we appoint would be made head professor. With your wide knowledge of English and the Universities both of France, Britain and America I have thought that possibly you might know of some one who

by character and attainments would be a great addition to our University. I am writing to you merely in a tentative way, but if you can do me the favour of giving me any advice I shall esteem it very highly.

I suppose that the University of Bordeaux is now reduced to very small dimensions. We also are losing our students rapidly, but it is in a noble cause. With the hope that at the close of the coming year we may all be in a better condition,

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Dr. Falconer,
President of the
Toronto University,
TORONTO, CANADA.

S i r,

SOUTH AFRICAN SCHOOL OF MINES & TECHNOLOGY

The Principal of the above College for whom we are the London Agents writes on 19th April from Johannesburg:-

"A considerable amount of discussion has been going on "here in reference to the University question. We shall "be glad of your kind co-operation in obtaining and post-"ing out, at our charge, any Reports, Blue-books etc. on "the question of Higher Education. In Canada certain "'Surveys' of various districts have been made from the "Higher Education point of view, and have been published. "These might be useful to us in seeking to establish a "University in Johannesburg."

We shall be greatly obliged if you will forward a copy of your Calendar and copies of any Surveys that may have been issued in your district on the subject of Higher Education, direct to:-

The Principal,
South African School of Mines & Technology,
P. O. B o x, 1176
Johannesburg,
TRANSVAAL, SOUTH AFRICA.

If you will send us a Note of cost and postage we will at once remit to you in settlement.

We tender our thanks to you in advance.

We are,
S i r,
Yours faithfully,
FOR CHALMERS GUTHRIE & CO., LIMITED
W P Bates
Secretary

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June 7th, 1916

Messrs. Chalmers Guthrie and Co.,

9 Idol Lane,

London, England.

Gentlemen:

We are sending to the Principal of the South African School of Mines and Technology copies of the Calendars of the University of Toronto and also a Report of a Royal Commission dealing with the situation here.

Any Survey Reports that would be of value to you are published by the Provincial and Dominion Governments at Toronto and Ottawa. We have none that could be sent.

Yours sincerely,

President.

Princ. R. A. Falconer LL.D.

~~Toronto~~ University, Toronto

Dear Dr. Falconer:—

Having recently been informed that I have successfully passed my examinations for the degree of Ph. D. in philosophy at Harvard University; I am now looking for a position [illegible] or any prospect of an opening ~~in~~ in the near future for me in Toronto University or in any other Canadian University or college of which you happen to be acquainted.

I hold the degrees of M. A. & B. D. from Queen's University + virtually the degree of Ph. D. from Harvard, & would refer you for testimonials to

Prof. John Watson LL. D., Queen's University, Kingston, Ont.

Prof. James Haughton Woods Ph. D., Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

and 'Employment Office', Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

I am

Yours sincerely

L. P. Chambers

159 Hancock St.

Cambridge, Mass.

June 4, 1916

June 6th, 1916

Mr. L. P. Charters,

159 Hancock Street,

Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by President Falconer to acknowledge the receipt of your letter and to say that at present we have no vacancy in our Department of Philosophy nor is there any likelihood of such.

Yours sincerely,

President's Secretary.

March 27th, 1916

Principal A. F. Chapman,

Lucknow College, Ont.

Dear Sir:

It is not the practice of the University of Toronto to give ad eundem gradum standing to graduates of other Universities who are not in some way connected with the University by either being on its staff or in the way of continuing their studies. I feel sure that the Council of the Faculty of Arts would not be willing to grant you the standing that you request.

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 26th, 1910

[illegible] Chapman, Esq., M.A.,

c/o Jarvis Street,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Chapman:

It occurs to me that [illegible] who are to speak at the [illegible] meeting [illegible] President Eliot, who will be here [illegible], and Professor Francis Peabody of Harvard University on [illegible]. It will be too late now to secure President Eliot, but possibly if you were to communicate with Professor Peabody he might be able to address the Schoolmen's Club on the 4th.

Yours sincerely,

President.

February 4th, 1916

Mrs. H. C. Cherry,

Box 681,

New Liskeard.

Dear Mrs. Cherry:

I have so many engagements this year that I am loath to make any new ones unless they be for purely patriotic purposes. If demands come to me for recruiting or other patriotic needs I feel it my duty to comply as far as possible. I am therefore reluctant to promise to address the Women's Canadian Club this spring. In any case I could not go until May and whether I can go then I should have to decide in a month or two. I am sorry, however, to give you such an indefinite answer to your request.

Yours sincerely,

President.

April 10th, 1916

Mrs. H. G. Cherry,

Secretary, Women's Canadian Club,

New Liskeard.

Dear Mrs. Cherry:

It will be impossible for me to go to New Liskeard when I am at North Bay on May 12th. I must go one night and return the next night. However, as I expect to spend my summer holidays in the region of Cobalt I might be able to go to New Liskeard at some time during the summer, though if I go I should like to address a public meeting as at this time my speaking is on catholic issues, and I have not time to spend on small groups dealing with academic subjects.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

February 10th, 1916

Mr. J. L. Childs,

International Committee Y.M.C.A.,

124 East 28th Street,

New York City.

Dear Mr. Childs:

I am glad to be able to say that on two occasions I listened with great pleasure to what Mr. Raymond Robins said to our students in the University of Toronto. He laid before them in a very powerful way the social obligations that rest upon educated men and women. He also handled in what I thought was an admirable manner the attitude of the student to the various temptations which present themselves to him. I should judge that Mr. Robins' visit did a great deal of good to the students who had the privilege of hearing him.

Yours sincerely,

President.

NAUMKEAG,
STOCKBRIDGE,
MASS.

21 September, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I have your kind note of the seventeenth, inviting me to a small reception which you are giving in the Royal Ontario Museum on the afternoon of Tuesday, September twenty-eighth, and I am very happy to accept the same with many thanks.

Very truly yours,

Joseph H. Choate

Robert A. Falconer, Esq.

November 12th, 1915

Mr. Walter S. Clark,

Association of Urban Universities,

Union Station, Cincinnati.

Dear Mr. Clark:

I have just received your letter asking me for a four minutes of my address the November 2nd. I regret that I have been so busy that it has been impossible for me to prepare such an abstract. In fact I somewhat put getting my ideas together, and I received several requests until I reached Cincinnati. I will, however, try to prepare a sufficient abstract of my remarks for your annual proceedings.

Yours sincerely,

President.

February 26th, 1916

Dr. A. E. Clark,

2182 Queen Street East,

Toronto.

Dear Dr. Clark:

As your son was such a short time in the University before he enlisted it is difficult for me to get from the Professors any very accurate account of his work and general status such as would be sufficient for basing a certificate upon. In these circumstances would you be kind enough to get me certificates from the Masters of his school and from his best?

I am referring the application to Colonel Lang who will take it up with General Gwatkin along with some others that are to be dealt with in the course of the next few weeks. We have been careful about our recommendations and they are nearly always accepted and for that reason we like to have as full grounds to go upon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

President.

May 11th, 1916

E. H. Clarke, Esq.,

National Council of Y.M.C.A of Canada,

15 Toronto Street.

Dear Mr. Clarke:

I have just read your letter and have been considering the subjects that you mention for the conference next week. Do you not think that it is rather a scanty programme for which to ask so many busy men to remain for another day in Montreal. For instance, the University sermon is a matter that each University has to settle for itself. On voluntary study and curriculum courses I fancy a specialist might speak. Few of the Presidents would have much to say about it, so that the only real subject to be considered would be the first one "The Nationalisation of the Student Movement". I must confess that it seems to me somewhat vague, and apparently Mr. Birks is doubtful as to whether it would accomplish enough to make it worth while for the men remaining over. I must say that I am inclined to agree with him. After all if you could get a little group of the men who are really interested in the movement and meet them one by one you might accomplish as much. However, if the others think it worth while staying over for the day I will do so also, though I can ill afford an extra day at this time. I should be glad, however, to see Mr. Birks sometime on Monday when I am in Montreal and have a talk with him. With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 4th, 1910

Dr. A. E. Clarke,

[illegible] Queen Street East,

Toronto.

Dear Dr. Clarke:

I [illegible] Colonel Lang the certificates [illegible] They are very good, and [illegible] Colonel Lang to have [illegible] considered along with the [illegible] as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

November 12th, 1915

Mr. Moses H. Clemens,

Ubee, Ind.

Dear Sir:

I have received your letter asking me to sign a petition to President Woodrow Wilson on behalf of the unfortunate people of Armenia. As a Canadian and therefore a British subject it would be quite unbecoming in me to send my name forward for such a petition to President Woodrow Wilson. In Canada we are taking the most active measures in our power to check these atrocities by participation in this war. Our forces are near the scene of action and they at the front hope before long to terrorize the Turkish rabble as well as to check their allies. We at home are supporting them to the best of our ability. Whether the United States can do more than protest at present is not for me to say.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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March 11th, 1916

Captain G. A. Cline,

First Division Signalling Corps,

C.E.F.

Dear Mr. Cline:

I am very glad to learn this morning that you have received the decoration of the French Legion of Honour. It is gratifying to me here and to your friends generally, I am sure, that your services have been thus recognised.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

January 6th, 1916

Dear Mr. Clipperton:

I have been informed that there is some difficulty between the Department of Education and you with regard to your certificates. In these circumstances I think that you should get definite word from the Department as to what they require as we cannot make a final determination without their approving the matter.

Yours sincerely,

President.

Mr. O. Clipperton,
24a Heath Street West.

SPEAKERS' PATRIOTIC LEAGUE
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UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO,

TORONTO 19th October, 1915.

The President,

The University of Toronto,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. President:-

I am instructed by the Executive Committee of The Speakers' Patriotic League to inform you that at the last meeting of the Executive, held on October 13th, the following motion was passed,-

> "Moved that the Secretary be instructed to acknowledge the debt of gratitude which this Branch of the League owes to the University for its allowing provision to be made whereby Dr. Abbott should be free to continue his work as Honorary Secretary."

I am also instructed to inform you that the Executive is willing to put into effect the suggestion made in a letter from the Bursar, dated September 24th, regarding the payment of a substitute for Dr. Abbott in the Philosophy Department.

Yours faithfully,

Charles N. Cochrane

Organizing Secretary.

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February 7th, 1916

Rev. Henry S. Coffin, D.D.,

Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church,

New York.

My dear Dr. Coffin:

We are very much pleased to know that you will be able to reach Toronto on Saturday morning so that you may have the day free. We have invited some friends to meet you at dinner on Saturday evening.

I am sure that if you take an ordinary subject for your sermon on Sunday it will be quite suitable, even though we are deeply interested in the war. As fact students are leaving us rapidly, and of late we have not been having the audiences at our Sunday services that we had before Christmas. However, I hope that if the day is fine there may be a good congregation, and we are looking forward with great pleasure to your visit.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Feb. 12th,
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The Dean,
University of Toronto,
Toronto, Canada.

Dear Sir:

On January 18th and February 3d we wrote the Registrar of your institution as per enclosed letter. Not having heard from him, we take the liberty of asking you if you can do anything for us in this matter. If we do not hear from an institution directly, we are obliged to write ~~it up~~ the article from what reference sources we have at our disposal, and this, of course, is never so accurate or so satisfactory as when we obtain our facts direct from headquarters.

Trusting that you will be able to help us, we remain

Very truly yours,

Frank Colby.

FMC/F

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COPY

January 18th,
1916

Registrar,
University of Toronto,
Toronto, Canada.

Dear Sir:

In a revision of the New International Encyclopaedia now in process of preparation, we desire to include the latest authoritative statistics in regard to your institution. Will you kindly make the needful changes in the enclosed article from the 1906 International, adding much further information we now desire in regard to recent development and progress, and return it to this office at an early date as possible?

Will you also send me your latest handbook?

Very truly yours,

FMC/F

Encl.

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February 14th, 1910

Mr. [illegible],

[illegible] Trustees,

[illegible] York City.

[illegible] Sir:

[illegible] inquiries from the Registrar about your [illegible] January 10th and Feb[illegible] [illegible] bring [illegible] available and information regarding the University of [illegible]. The Registrar tells me that he will [illegible] fly to [illegible] [illegible] seek giving you the [illegible] information [illegible] desired you by this [illegible].

[illegible]

President's Secretary.

Mundare Alberta Feb 3/16

President of Toronto University.
Toronto.

Dear Sir:- I am a graduate of 1911 from the Toronto Medical College and I would like very much to join the overseas service, providing I could get under some good surgeon. I know a number of the men in Toronto such as. Dr. Fetherington. Dr. Scott. Mr. Cameron &c. But as I do not know which of them are in Toronto or in the service in Europe I thought best to write to you. I will be glad if you can give me any advice on the matter or if you can hand my letter to some of the professors in Surgery or medicine who can advise me.

Yours truly
C J Connolly

February 8th, 1916

Dr. C. F. Connolly,

Montreal, Alberta.

Dear Dr. Connolly:

I would suggest that you should apply directly to Mr. Rutherfurd, who is head of the Medical Service of the First Division in France. He might be able to get a place for you. We have nothing to offer at present.

Mr. Rutherfurd's address is:

Lt.-Colonel J. T. Rutherfurd,

First Canadian Division,

British Expeditionary Force,

France.

Yours sincerely,

President.

November 13th, 1915

J. A. Cooper, Esq.,

"Canadian Courier".

Dear Mr. Cooper:

I have just received your letter and when I return from Cincinnati next week I will look into the matter. Probably the demands for the specialists' certificates are such that it will be hard to lighten the burden.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

November 12th, 1915

Clayton S. Cooper, Esq.,

Editorial Department,

Educational Foundation,

41 East 27th Street, New York.

Dear Mr. Cooper:

I have to thank you for your kindness in sending me a copy of your new book "American Essays". I look forward with pleasure to reading it very soon and I shall take it with me on a trip that I have to make to Cincinnati in a few days.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

June 16th, 1910

C. W. Cowland, Esq.,

14 Toronto Street,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Cowland:

It will be impossible for me to be present.

as I am not to-day that you have changed from July 26th to August 12th.

I hope that day will be successful.

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 7th, 1916

Mr. M. K. Cornish,

175 Bailey Avenue,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Cornish:

I am sending your letter of application for enlistment in the battery of artillery to Colonel Ibbs, who with his staff will have to pass on all such applications. I shall be glad to have from you some details as to the status of your work. It is altogether probable that students who enlist will be able to go on for their regular university examinations this spring.

Yours sincerely,

President.

April 11th, 1916

Mr. C. F. Corsan,

Central Branch, Y.M.C.A.,

55 Hanson Place, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Corsan:

I have this morning received your letter with regard to Mr. Simpson. I recognize that Mr. Simpson has done excellent work and I have no doubt that Professor Thomson will recommend that he should be given some increase of salary. I shall be very glad to make as favourable a recommendation as I possibly can for Mr. Simpson as I have done previously, but I cannot give any assurance as to what the financial outcome may be inasmuch as the Government will very probably cut us down within narrow limits this year.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

January 14th, 1916

W. B. Couch, Esq.,

Bowmanville, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I did not ask the audience to read an address by Sir William Osler on Social Service when I was speaking last Monday night, but I mentioned that Sir William Osler had recently given an address on "Science and the War" in which he makes a comparison as to the relative contributions of science to war and to the amelioration of humanity. It is an excellent address and is published for a shilling by the Oxford Press.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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April 20th, 1916

Principal Coulthurst,

The Boys School,

Rothesay, N.B.

Dear Mr. Coulthurst:

I have made inquiries from Lycette College with regard to the possibility of securing some one to take work at Rothesay School from the closing of the College until the end of June, and I am sorry to say that I have not been able to find any one, nor is there any one so far as I know in University College who could go. The best [illegible] men are nearly away on active service.

Will you give my compliments to Mrs. Coulthurst and believe me to be,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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W. A. CRAICK
CANADIAN CORRESPONDENCE, NEWS
AND MAGAZINE FEATURES
TORONTO

[illegible] Foxbar Road,

Toronto, September 18th, 1915.

Dr. R. A. Falconer,
President, University of Toronto,
Toronto,

Dear Dr. Falconer,

I have been requested by the Manager of the Illustrations Department, the Central News, Ltd., London, the most important news agency in England, to obtain copies of the portraits of a number of leading Canadians for their files. Your name has been included in their list and I would appreciate it very much indeed if you could arrange to send me an unmounted print of your latest photograph, which I might forward to them. Thanking you, I am

Yours sincerely,

W. A. Craick.

September 24th, 1915

W. A. Craik, Esq.,
[illegible] Fisher Road,
Toronto.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by President Falconer to send under separate cover a photograph of him for which you asked in your letter of the 16th.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

W. A. CRAICK
CANADIAN CORRESPONDENCE, NEWS
AND MAGAZINE FEATURES
TORONTO

52 Foxbar Road,

Toronto, September 25th, 1915.

Miss A. W. Patterson,
President's Secretary,
University of Toronto,
Toronto,

Dear Miss Patterson,

Would you kindly convey my thanks to Dr. Falconer for the photograph, which reached me safely this morning. I am also obliged for the trouble you have personally taken in the matter.

Yours sincerely,

W. A. Craick.

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Dec. 10, 1915.

Dr. R. A. Falconer,
President, University of Toronto,
Toronto.

My dear Sir:

May I ask your attention to the enclosed reproduction in The Star and hope for your active sympathy with the proposal outlined therein and in other articles on this important subject lately published?

I take it for granted that your public spirit and business judgement are alike in agreement with the idea that Canada, while fighting this war with all her might, should not neglect preparation to meet conditions which will follow the war. Do you realize the value to the public of your views and suggestions as to what form this preparation should take? The Government has the situation under favorable consideration, but all governments, in matters involving new departures, are the better for a strong pressure of public opinion in the right direction and for the informative suggestions of the country's leading men.

You have undoubtedly given thought to this matter

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before. Possibly The Star's articles on the subject may have helped to crystallize your ideas and experience into some definite form. If you approve of the proposals referred to, will you kindly give the public the benefit, by allowing The Star to publish a statement from you at this time? We would be glad if you would contribute a short signed article, stimulating and suggestive, to which we would give due prominence. If you would prefer, we will send a representative to get it in the form of an interview.

In the hope of your favorable consideration, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

B. F. Crandall
Managing Editor.

Grand Pre, N. S.

Population of Canada

10,000,000 to 15,000,000

in 3 years after the war

A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY

It cannot be too often or too strongly emphasized that the future of this country is big with fate. To use a phrase that was at one time employed in a far different connection, "Canada stands at the parting of the ways." We know which pathway Canada followed then: we believe it to have been the right one. **The decision we must make upon the present occasion will be no less fraught with the deepest consequences to our country.**

Before us the paths divide. The right one leads to a dazzling era of prosperity and well-being, to a moral and material development which will overshadow even the decade and a half which has just come to a close. The wrong path leads to stagnation, depression, what we have learned to call "hard times." **Which are we going to choose?**

War is like an earthquake. It disarranges, shakes up and crumbles down things that we have learned to consider immutable. Established perspectives are altered, firmly founded customs and precedents are swept away. And when the quake has subsided and the period of feverish reconstruction passed, things are never quite the same again.

Today not only Canada and the Empire, but the world is in the convulsions of an earthquake. How long it will last none of us can say. While it does last our primary concern is and must be to do the duty which lies straight before us. It is an earthquake, but fortunately one which we can and will control.

Moreover, it will not do for us to neglect to provide for the period of reconstruction which will follow the last dying convulsion. Our duty in the day when German malice shall have spent itself and fallen back shattered and harmless forever will be no less clear than it is today. **But we cannot perform the duty of tomorrow without giving thought to that duty today.** The mighty part which Canada will be called on to play when the smoke clouds lift and the roar of the big guns is silenced is to provide a new home for the war-shaken armies spent with the toil of battle and eager to turn their faces toward a new land where a home and happiness and prosperity await each man's honest endeavor.

It is their opportunity and ours. Theirs in so much that Canada has room for all and a sure reward for the man who wills to win it, ours in that the measure of the prosperity of any country is the prosperity of its citizens. Here lies the land, here lie undeveloped resources almost past imagining; there will mass the people, the best in brain and brawn that twenty centuries of civilization have produced. Is it too big a dream to imagine the one brought to the other and a mighty nation rising around us in this half of the North American Continent?

But it will not do to sit and dream, to build our greater cities in visions only, and to people our fat acres with shadow men. The opportunity is striding nearer and nearer to our door with every passing day. Are those whom we have put in authority over us big enough to grasp it, men of vision to see the prize beyond all imagining which is within our grasp? Get ready to seize it, then. Let us put our house in order now, get hold of the emigrants as soon as the war is over and when the liners surge up the St. Lawrence packed with men seeking new homes in a new land let us be ready at the dock to meet them with a place prepared for every man. **The chance will not come again in our day if indeed it ever does.**

December 16th, 1919

C. H. Cromell, Esq.,

Managing Editor,

"The Montreal Star".

Dear Sir:

I am directed by President Falconer to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst and to say that the President will be glad if you will send a representative to interview him on the subject outlined in the enclosed clipping.

The President is in his office daily from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and I shall be glad to arrange a time for an interview.

Yours sincerely,

President's Secretary

April 7th, 1916

Rev. J. A. Cranston,

Fort William.

Dear Mr. Cranston:

Although I have been appointed a Commissioner to the General Assembly it is altogether improbable that I shall be able to attend. In any case I should have to ask you to excuse me from complying with your request as I have had to make it a rigid rule not to preach anniversary sermons in Churches.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

Mr. Robert Adamson,
Fergus - January 20 - 1916

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President R. A. Falconer
Toronto -

Dear Sir

The Fergus Mars Patriotic League have requested me to write you to see if it would be possible for you to come to our town and deliver a Patriotic address. The idea is to have a public meeting - prior to a canvass for the Canadian Patriotic Fund - with the address as the principal item. Fergus - I may say is a town of a little over 4600 of a population has lined up well so far - subscribing about $4000 in all - and the work of recruiting is quite active.

I am deeply conscious that the request I am forwarding to the President of our Alma Mater is a bold one - but we know how warm your sympathies are - and that you will give a favorable reply if you possibly can.

Yours Sincerely
R. E. Trees

January 22nd, 1916.

Rev. R. W. Craw
Melville Manse
Fergus Ont.

Dear Mr Craw:

If you will let me know what time is most convenient for you, and whether I could leave late in the afternoon and get back early in the morning, I shall endeavour to answer your request favourably. I have, however, a good number of engagements with which I should have to fit yours in.

With kind regards, I am

Yours sincerely,

President.

January 31st, 1910

Rev. R. A. Crew,

Kansas.

Dear Mr. Crew:

I have made arrangements by changing an engagement to allow me to go to Kansas on Friday, February 25th. This is the only night that will be convenient for us. I hope that it will fall in with your plans.

Yours [illegible],

President.

March 7th, 1916

D. Creighton, Esq.,

Assistant Receiver General,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Creighton:

I am sending your letter to Colonel Lane as he is keeping the names of all applicants for positions in the new battery. We shall discuss these with the Officer Commanding the 2nd Division, and I know that the effort will be made to choose our own graduates for the positions. I feel sure that your son's application will be given most sympathetic consideration.

Yours sincerely,

President.

November 8th, 1915

Dr. G. R. Cruickshank,

14 LaBelle Building, Windsor, Ont.

Dear Dr. Cruickshank:

I should suppose that our graduates in Medicine are able to remove tonsils because they get a thorough training both theoretical and clinical in the Hospitals under the direction of such men as Dr. Wishart, who is head professor, and Dr. Boyd who is associate professor. Of recent years there has been a great improvement in our facilities. If I am not mistaken until a few years ago the average practitioner would snare out the tonsils. I fancy that now our men are taught to dissect them out. In the cities on the other hand I presume that this work is handed over to the specialists. However, I feel confident that our staff will see that our men are equipped to do work that is so commonly required.

Yours sincerely,

President.

Royston, Ky
Nov. 21, 1915.

President University of Toronto,
Toronto,
Can.

My dear Sir:

I suppose you are
tired of reading letters, but I
just learn from the many
letters in Steam Engineering,
Naval Architecture &
Shipbuilding. These letters
were addressed after
Smith, Finch & Jones
sorts, Jan 1913 when
I thought perhaps, one
or of putting 1/4 to left

out I made application, upon the suggestion of the President, for the position of Head of Dept of Maths & Astron*. When the Bd met it was found that the State's finances were in a bad way & a Chair of Journalism was desired. The 3900 $ salary was used for Journalism & Undergraduate bd duty in Maths.

Sincerely,
S. R. Crumbaugh,
612 N. Bway

* My State University

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JAMES B. MALONE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
FAIRBANKS BUILDING
SPRINGFIELD OHIO

August ninth,
Nineteen thirteen.

Hon. H. S. Barker, President,
Kentucky State University.

My Dear Sir:-

I write to you, urging that you give due and merited consideration to the application of Major S. R. Crumbaugh for appointment to the chair of Mathematics and Astronomy in your University.

As Secretary of the Board of Supervising Inspectors of Steam Vessels, in Washington, I had occasion to come in contact with Major Crumbaugh where I learned of his eminence in Mathematics and of his many kindly and gentlemanly accomplishments.

As an example of his scientific ability, I beg to state that the Major was always considered the mathematical censor of that Board, and I recall of his having submitted to that Department many tables on steam engineering and ship building which were not only made the guides in that line for this country but were copied by the English, German and French governments.

I know, personally, that the scholarly ability of Major Crumbaugh, coupled with his wide experience as a public official, business man and teacher, eminently qualify him to bring the proper instructive instinct and personality to the chair for which application has been made.

I feel that I am doing your University a great favor in bringing these facts to you, as its head, and, I am certain, that, should the Major receive the suggested appointment, Kentucky State University will have as its mathematical head one of the strongest men, in every way, obtainable.

Yours, very truly,

James B. Malone

JBM/EJD.

P.S. Probably the ablest lawyer of his age in O. He was Sect'y 7 & 8 yrs of your Board

Secretary

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November 22nd, 1915

Mr. S. R. Crumbaugh,

o12 N. Broadway,

Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:

There there is not at present nor as far as I can judge is there likely to be in the near future any vacancy in the University of Toronto in Mathematics or in the Faculty of Engineering of the grade for which you make application. In fact on account of the war we are reducing the numbers of our staff.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 24th, 1916

Rev. Dr. Currie,

Beaverton, Ont.

Dear Dr. Currie:

On my return from the United States to-day I find your letter of March 16th asking me to address the Presbytery of Lindsay at its meeting on May 16th in Beaverton. I am sorry that it will be impossible for me to be with you. That week is the closing week of the session, and in any case I am afraid that my other engagements are such that I must not at present add to the duties that are to be performed between now and the summer.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.